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MS. WHITE: Can everybody hear me? Do I need to use this mike? I have -- hello, hello, hello. Hello? Okay. I have -- my testimony -- I think I just. My testimony is done in the form of a song. It's called the Yucca Mountain Rag.

1 (Sung to music) "In the west in the State of Nevada, there's a lovely mountain site. If you follow the press there's an issue that's become a gruesome fight. Well, it seems there's some unwanted talk since national transport far and wide. I don't want no yuckie nukie waste in my backyard. I love my Yucca Mountain site."

2 "Well, my friends you may think what's the difference if it's here or there, but wait. We're a state that is growing by millions, economic growth is great. So if we did become the host dumpsite, it would really be a drag. I don't want no yuckie nukie waste in my backyard. I'll sing the Yucca Mountain Rag.

"I don't want it in the air. Don't want it in my hair. Don't want it on my cat. I wouldn't want to do that. Don't want it on my stove. Don't want it in my grove. I cannot think of a single endearment that I'd want to give a big dose.

"Don't want it in my beans. Don't want it in my genes. Will I turn into paste, stepping in nuclear waste? It's eating up my shoes, don't wanna sing all these blues. What have I got to lose? My God, no."

3 "Now I know it has got to go somewhere in our blessed USA. We all love all our fancy technology, but there's a price to pay. But, you know that we're looking for trouble as they truck it state to state, 'cause they can spill the yuckie nukie waste in your backyard, and that's a mess you'd really hate.

"Now think of all the little kids it might harm. Would they have a place to play? Would the water be as safe from the taps in our homes? Would the vegetables and fruits that we eat burn up our dinner plate? Not to mention what it does to our bones. My friends, we just can't wait. They're going to legislate."

4 "Think of me when you pass legislation up in Washington, D.C. If the tables were turned, would you want it there to haunt your family? So leave that God awful stuff where it's at and keep it locked up good and tight. Because I don't want no yuckie nukie waste in my backyard. I love my Yucca Mountain site. Do you want the yuckie nukie waste in your backyard? Then sing the Yucca Mountain Rag. We don't want no yuckie nukie waste in our backyards. We'll sing the Yucca Mountain Rag. Yeah!"